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THEME: ADVENTURING WITH GOD - LIFE APPLICATION

PASSAGE: Acts 27:13-44

LAUNCH

When was the last time you were seriously lost and it looked like you were not going to reach your destination? What did you do?

DISCOVERY & UNDERSTANDING

Paul's shipmates pushed the boundaries of the sailing season and decided to set sail against Paul's warning. Think of a time when you seriously pushed the boundaries of God's patience, what did it cost you?

What impresses you about Paul from reading this passage?

Sometimes other people, through their disobedience, drag you into their storms. How should you respond in such circumstances? What feelings do you struggle with when you, like Paul, have to suffer through other people's disobedience?

Why are we not to fear in the midst of the storm? What storms are members of your group facing at the moment? Spend time praying for them.

What are some other stories in the Bible that show the Lord can be trusted in a storm?

Even in the midst of this terrible storm God was gracious to all those aboard, sparing their lives. What are some of the ways that God used Paul to minister His grace to those on the ship (vs. 21-26, 30-36)?

APPLICATION

What are some of the ways that God is calling you to administer grace to others in the midst of their trying circumstances?

Are there any ways that God might be calling you to go on an adventure with him rather than playing it safe with your own plan (the main point of Andy's talk). Discuss & pray.

A number of questions sourced from an excellent study on Acts 27 by Temple Baptist church in California April 26th 2015.